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ELECTRIC COMPRESSOR MOTOR

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed July 12, 2006, and further to the Amendment filed by applicants on June 30, 2006, applicants request that page 2 of the Amendment, containing the title, be replaced with attached corrected page 2.

This Reply is believed to be fully in compliance with the Notice, and this application is now fully in condition for allowance, and a notice to that effect is respectfully requested. The PTO is hereby authorized to charge/credit any fee deficiencies or overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-4293 (Order No. 28951.2168). If further amendments would place this application in even better condition for issue, the Examiner is invited to call applicants'

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